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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tanuma et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/282,772 )  
Filed: March 31, 1999 )  
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY )  
DEVICE OPERATING IN A )  
VERTICALLY ALIGNED )  
MODE OF LIQUID CRYSTAL )  
MOLECULES )  
Art Unit: 2871 )  
Examiner: Qi, Z. )

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Amendment B elsewhere did list the correct filing date of July 11, 2002, as did the postcard, Amendment Transmittal, and the Petition for Extension of Time.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2002, please amend the  
above-identified Application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims 1 and 6: